

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S1991–S2035

Measures Introduced: Eight bills were introduced, as follows: S. 394–401. **Page S2027**

Measures Considered:

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act: Senate resumed consideration of H.R. 1, making supplemental appropriations for job preservation and creation, infrastructure investment, energy efficiency and science, assistance to the unemployed, and State and local fiscal stabilization, for fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S1992–S2024**

Pending:

Reid (for Collins/Nelson (NE)) Amendment No. 570, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S1992–S2024**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 61 yeas to 36 nays (Vote No. 59), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on Reid (for Collins/Nelson (NE)) Amendment No. 570 (listed above).

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, February 10, 2009, and that the 10 minutes prior to the 12 noon vote on Tuesday, February 10, 2009, be equally divided and controlled between the two Leaders, or their designees, with the Majority Leader controlling the final 5 minutes prior to the vote. **Pages S2008, S2030**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Michele A. Flournoy, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Policy.

Jeh Charles Johnson, of New York, to be General Counsel of the Department of Defense.

Robert F. Hale, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller). **Pages S2030, S2035**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

6 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

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Nomination Withdrawn: Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nomination:

Thomas Andrew Daschle, of South Dakota, to be Secretary of Health and Human Services, which was sent to the Senate on January 20, 2009. **Page S2035**

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—59) **Page S2024**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 1 p.m. and adjourned at 6:38 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, February 10, 2009. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2030.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.